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## SPORTS INFORMATION

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### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### HOME

Men's Rugby vs Bishop's, Sept. 16 (1:00 p.m.)  
Men's Soccer vs Alumni, Sept. 17 (2:00 p.m.)  
Men's Soccer vs Quebec Selects, Sept. 18 (6:00 p.m.)  
Women's Soccer vs Sherbrooke, Sept. 23 (1:00 p.m.)

#### AWAY

Football @ McGill, Sept. 16 (1:00 p.m.)  
Football @ Bishop's, Sept. 23 (1:00 p.m.)

### STINGERS FACE MCGILL IN SHAUGHNESSY CUP

**Football Update:** The Stingers dropped a 15-9 decision to the defending O-QIFC champion Bishop's Gaiters in the third annual Shrine Bowl. Concordia was held to 175 yards of net offense, its lowest total in two years. Shrine Bowl M.V.P. for the Stingers was first year defensive back Stephane Leclerc (Trois-Rivières, Qué.). Leclerc, a two-time CEGEP all-star, intercepted two passes.

**This Week:** The Stingers travel across town to meet McGill in the 21st Annual **Shaughnessy Cup** at Molson Stadium on Saturday, September 16th at 1:00 p.m. The Redmen are coming off an easy 29-7 win over the lowly Carleton Ravens last week. Second string quarterback Andy St. Louis threw two touchdown passes and kicker Chuck Petitpas contributed 10 points from two field goals, two converts, and a pair of singles.

**The Series:** McGill leads the series 18-8 having won five of the last six contests. Concordia's last win was the 1986 Shaughnessy Cup. The Stingers defeated the Redmen 23-21 in that contest.

**Stinger Defense:** Despite the loss, Concordia received an impressive defensive display from a trio of players. Linebacker **Martin Ferdais** and defensive back **Stephane Leclerc** intercepted two passes each, one shy of the O-QIFC record of three held by a number of players and last accomplished by Concordia's John Picciolo October 11th, 1986. Cornerback **Ian Ployart** chipped in with an interception and a blocked field goal. Ferdais and Leclerc are on a pace to break the league record for interceptions in a season (6) set by Concordia's J.F. Godin in 1983.

**Defensive Leaders vs Bishop's:** Senior defensive back and captain **Stephane Chapados** (Montreal, Que.) led the defense with nine total tackles, including two for losses. First year defensive tackle **Eric Burrows** (Montreal, Que.) also had nine tackles including one Q.B. sack. Burrows, a former all-star in the Quebec Junior Football League, is the Stingers' biggest player

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at 6-2, 292. Impressive newcomer **Ian Ployart** (Montreal, Que.) finished with eight total tackles in addition to an interception and a blocked field goal. Senior linebacker **Martin Ferdais** (Iberville, Que.) had seven tackles in addition to his two interceptions. Ferdais led the Stingers with 64 tackles last year. Defensive back **Alvaro Martinez** (Montreal, Que.) also chipped in with seven tackles.

**Team Players of the Game:** The stars of the game for each unit were linebacker **Martin Ferdais** - Defense, offensive tackle **Jacques Moreau** - Offense, and defensive back **Ian Ployart** - Special Teams.

#### VOLLEYBALL TEAM WINS VERMONT INVITATIONAL

**Women's Volleyball Update:** The Stinger women's volleyball team made their U.S. debut a memorable one as they won the **Vermont Invitational**. Concordia won all their matches in straight sets except for the finalmatch against NCAA Division I Central Connecticut (3-1). Two of their other victories were against NCAA Division I teams University of Vermont and the University of Lowell. They also defeated Division II American International College (Springfield, Mass.)

Named to the **tournament all-star team** were power hitter **Debbie Lanteigne** (Montreal, Que.) and middle blocker **Danielle Ganga** (Montreal, Que.).